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Healthy and Useful Economic Analysis for Business Services

AGENDA

When gathering LMI for businesses...

- Introduction to OEO
- What labor market data is available
- Where does our data come from
 - The LMI Data Lifecycle
- How to put it together

NOTE



- LMI can't replace the specific information you know about particular businesses, their hiring practices, and what norms there are in the communities you work with.
- BUT LMI is important, however, in that it helps weed out biases, ensures accuracy, and will make you much more effective when working to manage and develop other resources.

OEO

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Designed to bridge the gap between workforce development initiatives and economic development priorities

Economic Analysis team: strives to distribute labor market data and analysis to improve economic and employment conditions in the state.

Primarily focus of research and training in employment data

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Workforce Development

Population Statistics

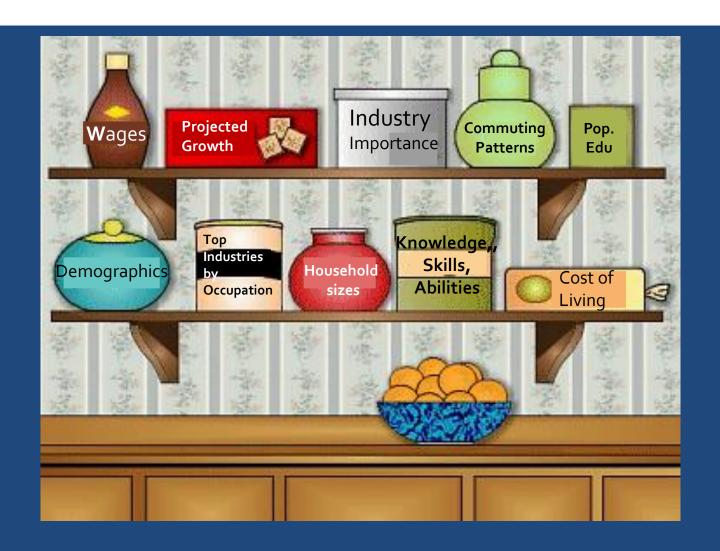
Labor Statistics

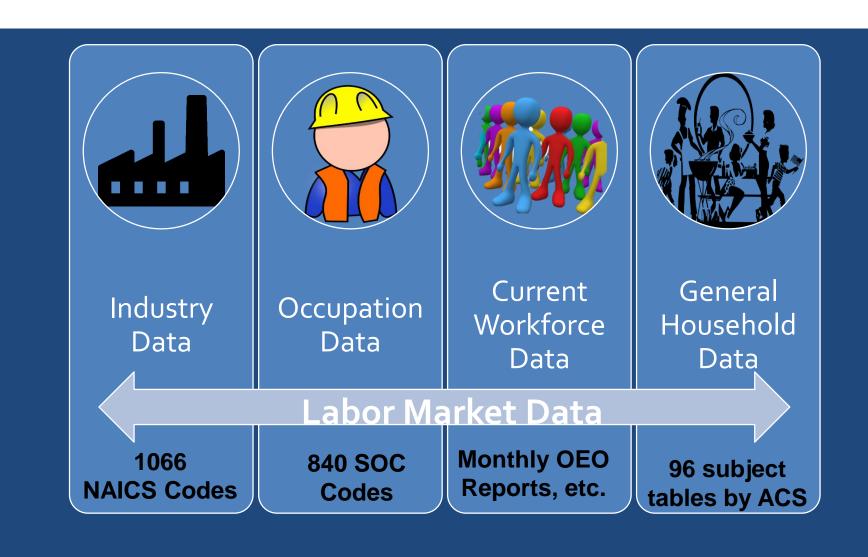
Economic Analysis

Regulation & Tax

• Any ideas?

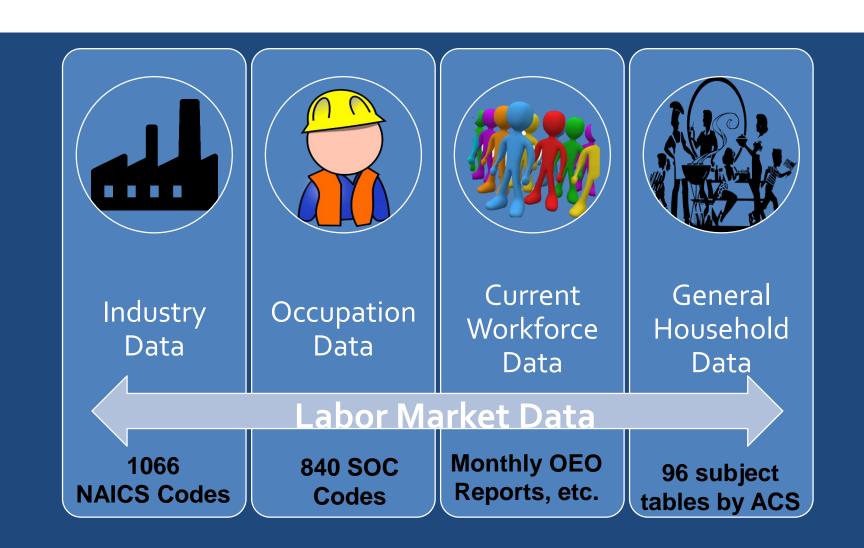
 Our pantry of Labor Market Information includes all the data and analysis available relating to employment and the workforce.





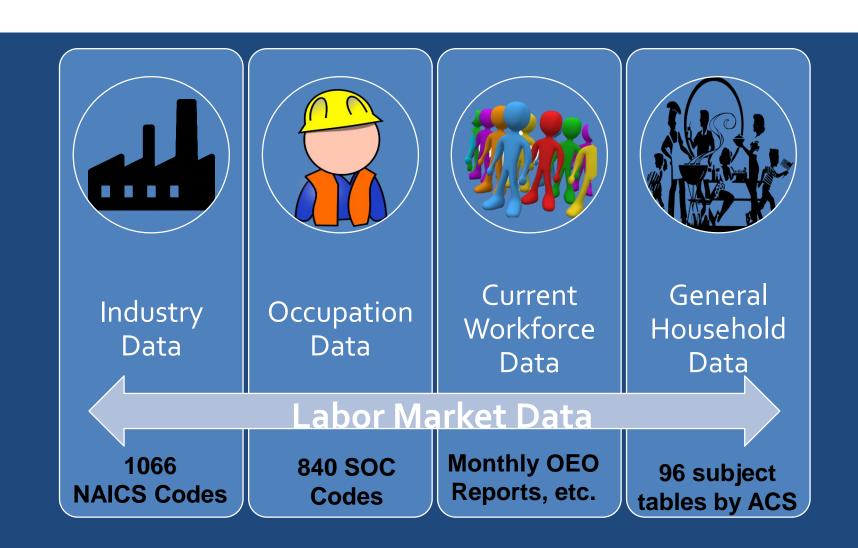
INDUSTRY DATA

Employment Share, Employment Projections, Unemployment Levels, etc.



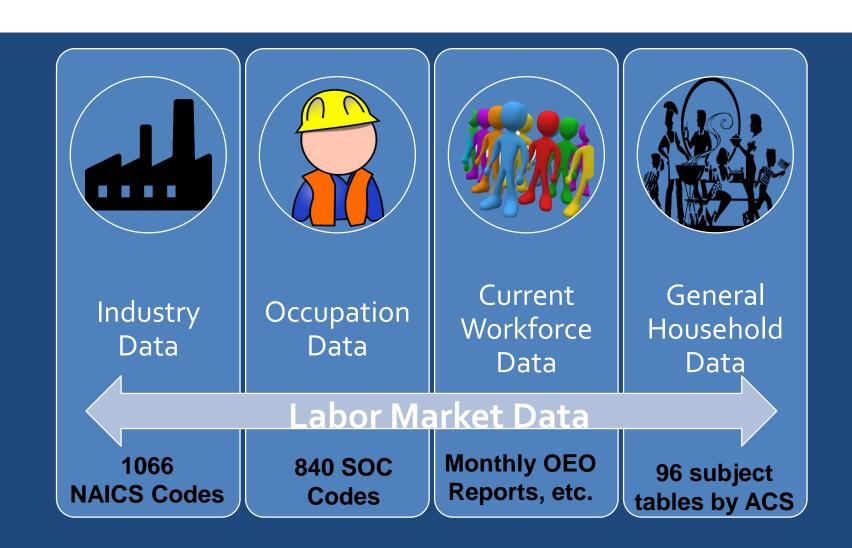
OCCUPATION DATA

Wages, Knowledge / Skills / Abilities, Education & Experience Needed, etc.



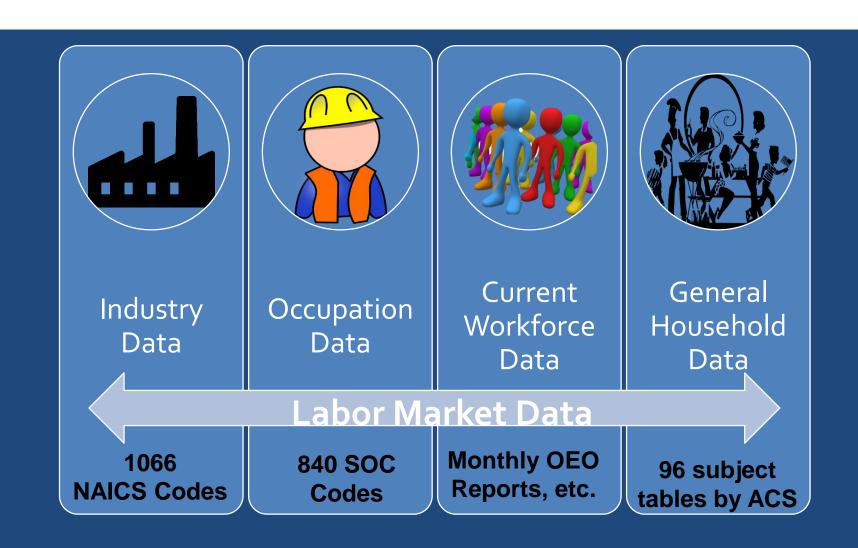
WORKFORCE DATA

Commuting Patterns, Income, Info on Displaced/Discouraged Workers, etc.



HOUSEHOLD DATA

Typical Household Makeup, Demographics, Household Income, Household Size, etc.



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Industry and Occupation Employment Projections

- 2-year and 10-year
- Identify anticipated job growth and needs in the short term and long term
- Available for industries and occupations
- Qualification information also provided (e.g. projected educational and skill needs)
- Can be used persuasively for business attraction/growth
 - "Our county is projected to see X% growth of this industry which provides Y support for your business"
- Also can be used for workforce strategic planning and business strategic planning
 - "We project that these occupations will require more workers in the next 10 years. Lets encourage/provide support for people to get education in those fields."

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Employment Projections



Data Source:

laborstats.az.gov/forecast-reports

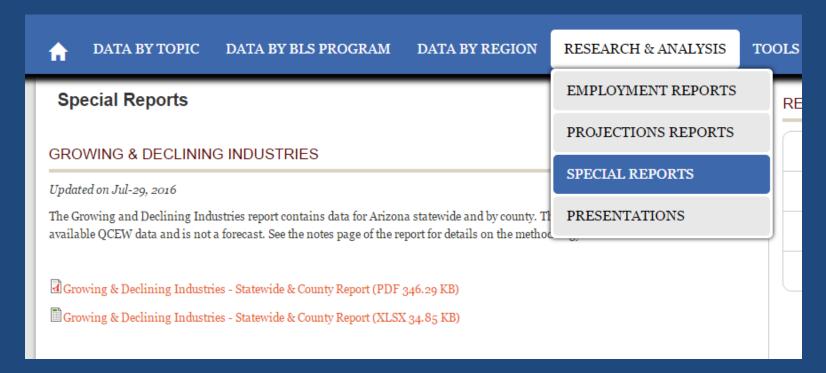
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Growing and Declining Industries Report

- Based on past 3 years of historic employment data
- Identifies top growing and declining industries for each county at a very detailed industry level (4-digit NAICS)
- Can be used to understand job movement so workers can either be encouraged into growing fields or cross trained so as to be successful in multiple roles

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Growing and Declining Industries Report



<u>Data Source:</u> laborstats.az.gov/specialreports

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Existing and Emerging Industries and Occupations Report

- Combines employment, wage and economic importance indicators to identify top industries
- Also highlights the top 5 occupations and top knowledge, skills, abilities and education requirements for each industry in the report
- Can be used to identify what types of businesses should be doing well, and which are anticipated to do well in the near future.
 - Example: If Business A is in an emerging industry, they might be more interested in getting help finding employees, hosting job fairs, etc.

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Existing and Emerging Industries and Occupations

Data Source:

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NAICS Title

NAICS 621 Ambulatory health care services

Occupation Ran	SOC Title
1	Physician assistants
2	Dental hygienists
3	Physical Therapists
4	Nurse practitioners
5	Medical and Health Services Managers

	Existing and Emerging Industries:
	Apache County
	Cochise County
	Coconino County
	Gila County
	Graham County
	Maricopa County
	Mohave and La Paz County
	Navajo County
	Pima County
	Pinal County
	Santa Cruz County
	Yavapai County
	Yuma County
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Minimum Education Level 🔻	Work Experience	On-the-Job Training
Master's degree	None	None
Associate's degree	None	None
Doctoral or professional degree	None	None





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Job growth
by industry in
the nearby area(s)



Wages compared to same / similar occupations in area or nearby areas

Overall compensation compared to same/similar occupations in area or nearby

look at employment changes by age to see if there is an actual generational trend

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Over the Year Growth



Average Wage by Occupation

<u>Wages</u>



Wage Ranges by Occupation



Average Wages / Cost of Living in Area



Wages by Industry / Seasonality

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LMI Package



Over-the-Year Overall Industry Wage Growth



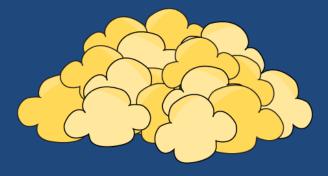
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Training, Opportunities for Growth with Business



Typical Commute for Workers in County for the business's Industry



Age/Gender in Industry (Is the firm hiring demographics similar to where they are based?)

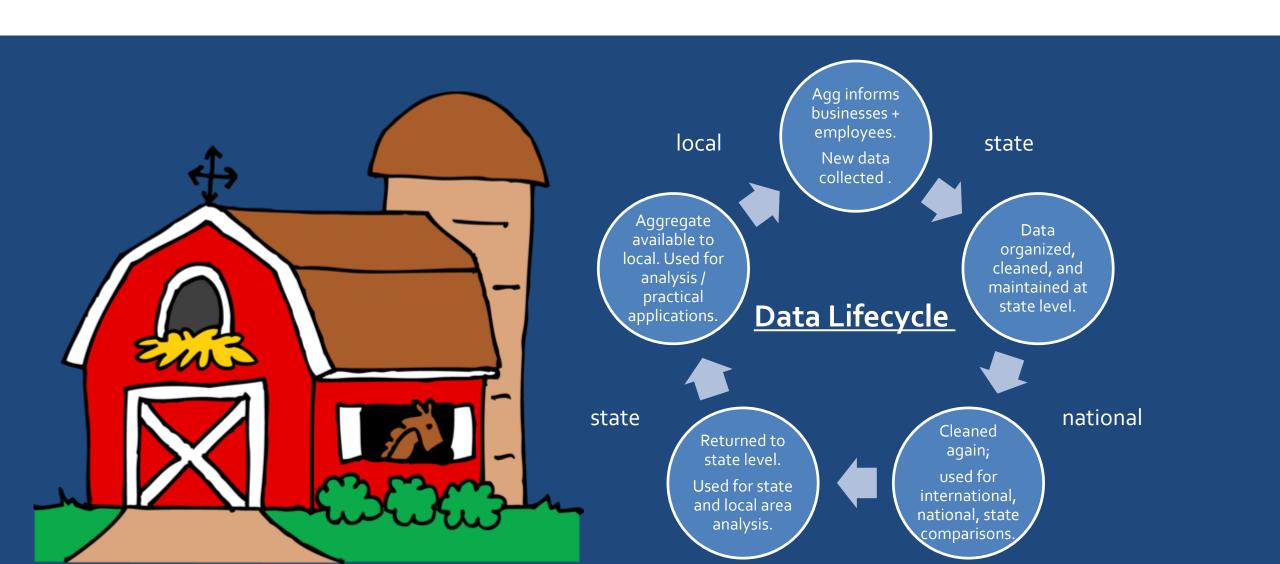


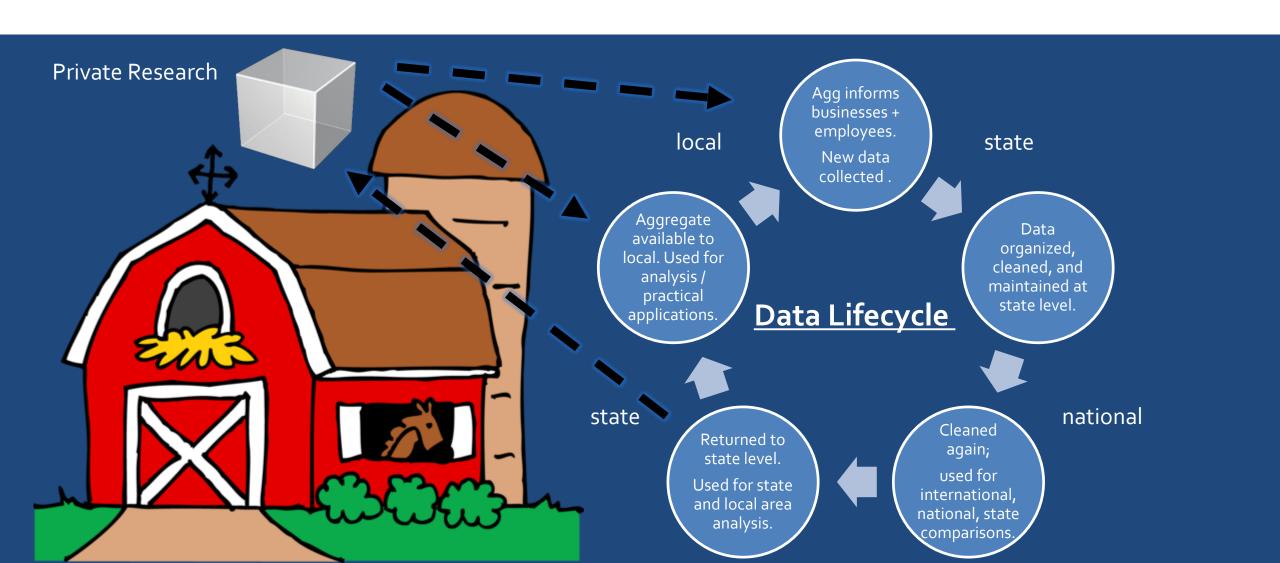


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 - Monthly (Current Employment Statistics)
 - Quarterly (QCEW Employment)
 - Annually (OEO Projections)







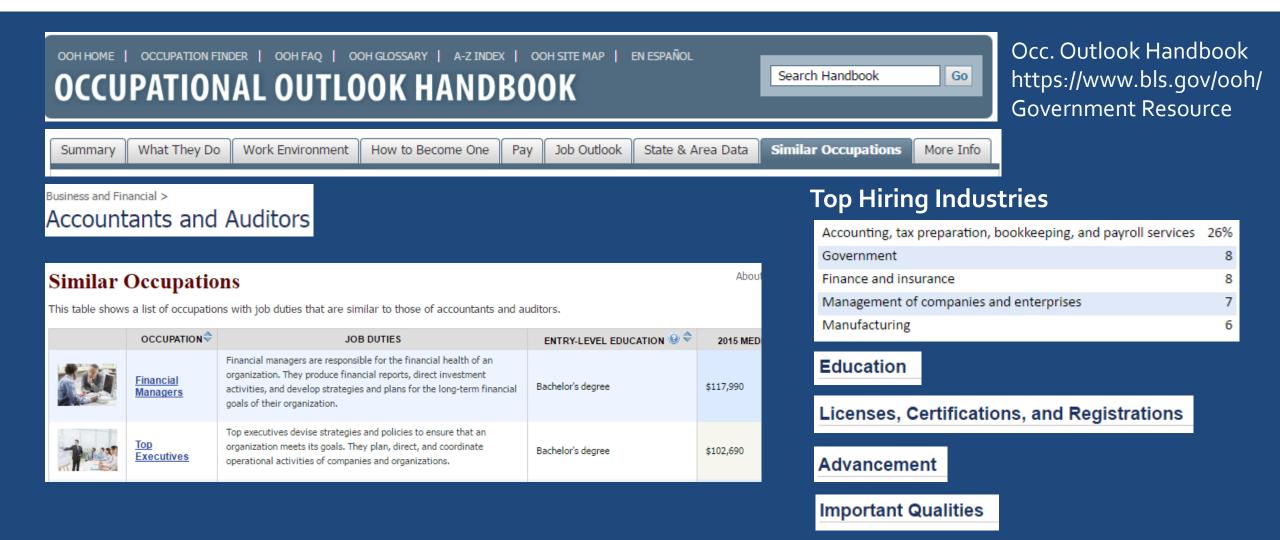
Why does this matter?

A) If you don't have access to private resources, it's still possible to do economic analysis and help businesses using data!

B) If you do have access to private sources, it's good to use a <u>combination of sources</u> so you can have the accuracy of the public data in addition to the potential insight the private source may have.

Just **be aware of** the **limitations** of all the sources you use.

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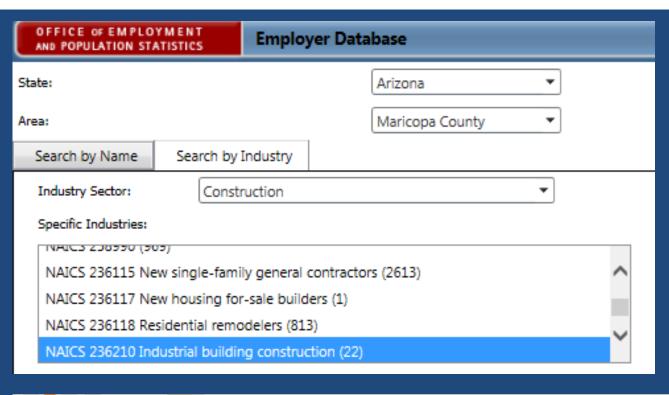
Employment by industry, occupation, and percent distribution, 2014 and projected 2024

BLS Occupation Handbook https://www.bls.gov/ooh/ Government Resource

17-2051 Civil engineers (Employment in thousands) Industries with fewer than 50 jobs, confidential data, or poor quality data are not displayed											
Industry 2014 2024											
Sort Order	Code	Title	Employment	Percent of industry	Percent of occupation	Employment 🔻	Percent of industry	Percent of occupation	Percent change	Employment change	Industry type
15	230000	Construction	25.9	0.4	9.2	28.9	0.4	9.5	11.3	2.9	Summary
16	236000	Construction of buildings	15.7	1.2	5.6	16.8	1.2				Summary
17	236100	Residential building construction	1.1	0.2	0.4	1.2	0.2	0.4		0.1	Line item
18	236200	Nonresidential building construction	14.6	2.1	5.2	15.6	2.1	5.1	7.0	1.0	Line item

Construction Hiring ↑
Utilities Hiring ↓

Perhaps better success if hired by nonresidential building construction company

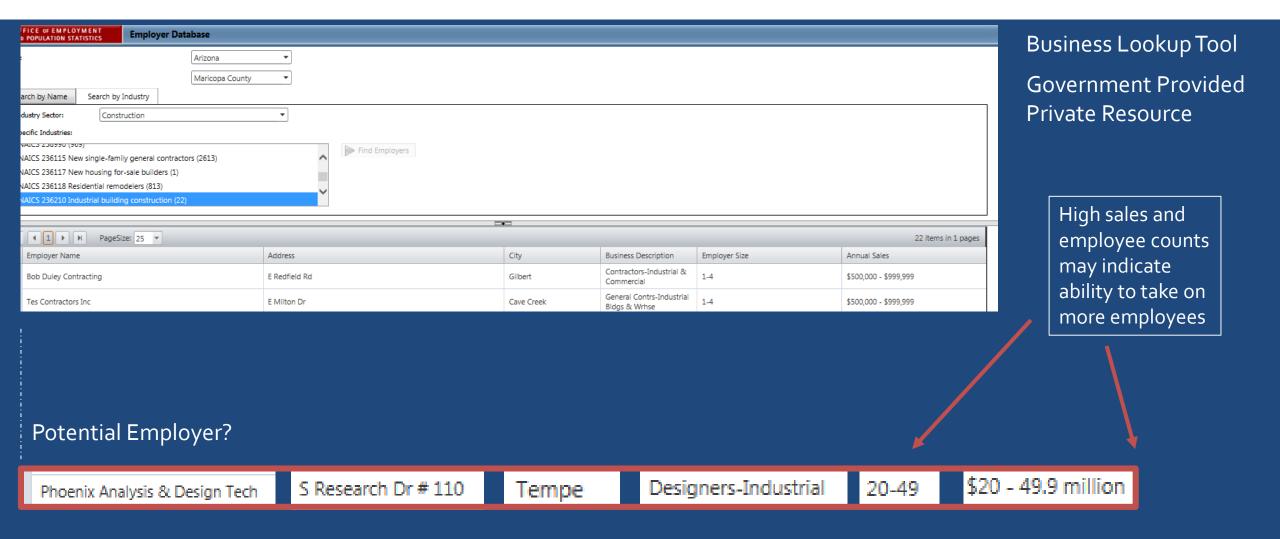


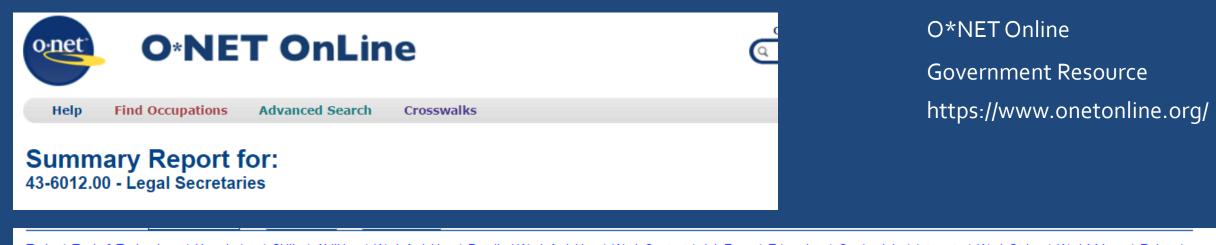
Business Lookup Tool

Government Provided Private Resource

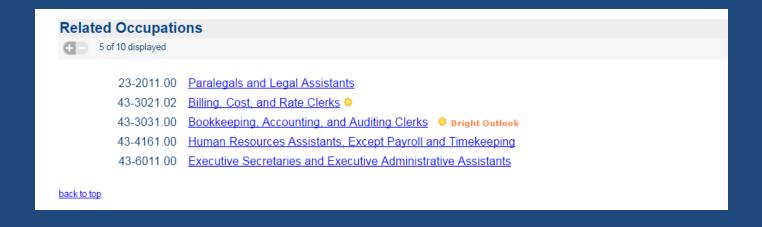
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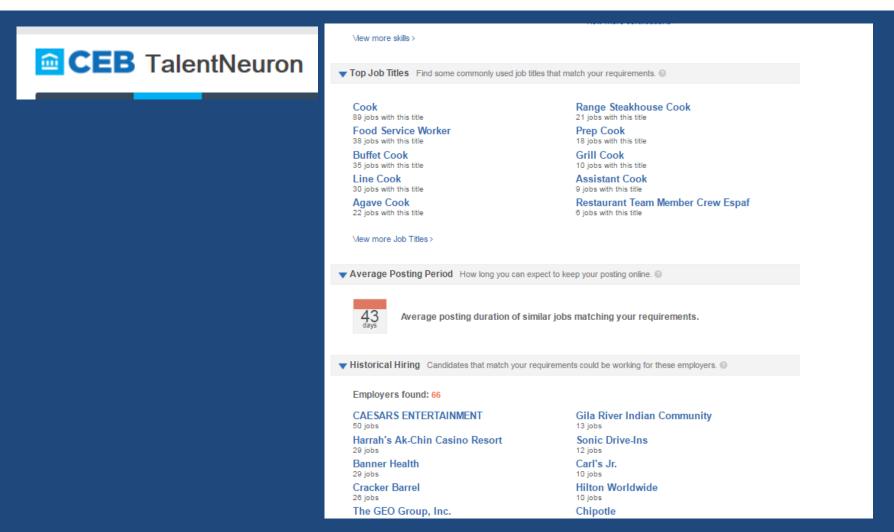
Employer Name	Address	City	Business Description	Employer Size	Annual Sales
Bob Duley Contracting	E Redfield Rd	Gilbert	Contractors-Industrial & Commercial	1-4	\$500,000 - \$999,999
Tes Contractors Inc	E Milton Dr	Cave Creek	General Contrs-Industrial Bldgs & Wrhse	1-4	\$500,000 - \$999,999
Grace By Design	W Opportunity Way # 107	Phoenix	Designers-Industrial	1-4	\$1 - 2.49 million





Tasks | Tools & Technology | Knowledge | Skills | Abilities | Work Activities | Detailed Work Activities | Work Context | Job Zone | Education | Credentials | Interests | Work Styles | Work Values | Related Occupations | Wages & Employment | Job Openings | Additional Information





Wanted Analytics
https://www.wantedanalytics.com

Private Resource



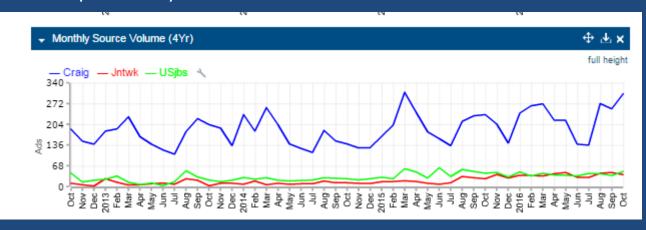
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Wanted Analytics https://www.wantedanalytics.com



The Conference Board Help Wanted OnLine ®

Job Postings for "Cook" in Maricopa County



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<u>Public Data Tools</u>	<u>Private Data Tools</u>	<u>Network Connections; Inside</u> <u>Knowledge</u>
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SUMMARY

- There are lots of different types of data available
 - Industry, Occupation, Workforce, Household, etc.
- Data comes from many backgrounds
 - Surveys, calculations, complete records, etc.
- Data is available from different sources
 - Private, government, private/public partnerships, etc.
- Quality analysis & business assistance recognizes all of these differences and opportunities and utilizes them appropriately to obtain best results!

THANKYOU!

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ADDITIONAL OEO UPDATE

Regulatory Reform

- New initiative
- OEO is charged with systematically analyzing and collecting data related to the impacts of state regulation on businesses
- Current focus: administrative rules
- Future focuses: statutes, taxes, and competitor state comparisons
- Current administrative code is over 5,000 pages long, and the sheer size is a
 potential hurdle for businesses. Any direct input or requests for analysis of rules
 that impact businesses is a welcome referral to OEO.